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Hi Gary,

Below is the information that I have so far for the Region 8's response with wastewater from gold mining in the Colorado River:

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- Craig Myers, R8 OSC, is the incident commander for the response.
- Joyce Akryman, R8 OSC, has been my point of contact for the response. Joyce's Phone Number: 303-886-1632

●■■■■■■■■■ Response Description:

- Release of 1 million gallons of wastewater from abandoned gold was released into Colorado's Animas River.
- Potential/suspected contaminants include mining wastewater containing heavy metals of zinc, iron, copper, lead, arsenic

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- Region has requested 2 SERAS employees to perform sampling in/near the Colorado River including sampling the river, private drinking water wells, and even sediment.

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- Samples will be analyzed for metals, pH, and conductivity
- No volatiles or semi-volatiles suspected

- Preservation of the samples in-field is needed

- Work Assignment Management

- Greg Powell will be writing the work assignment. Greg's Phone Number: 513-607-1572
- Greg will be on site on Tuesday (I believe he will be performing a different task than SERAS)
- SERAS will coordinate/work through Greg Powell for site related questions/concerns

- Transportation/Hotel:

- Due to tourism in the Durango area, vehicles and hotels have been hard to acquire in the Durango area.
- Region has requested for SERAS to rent 2 SUVs and suggested that the Holiday Inn in Durango maybe the best hotel for availability. Craig Myers is staying at the Holiday Inn.

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